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**Sent:** 3/26/2018 10:23:17 PM  
**To:** Fong, YvonneW [Fong.YvonneW@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** anything happening at Yosemite Slough?  
**Attachments:** 2018-03\_SimsWharf3ERA\_03012018.pdf; 2018-03\_ltr-epa-sims-era-sed-report-transmittal-2018\_03\_01.pdf; 2018-03\_rpt-sims-sed-investigation-0012-001-012-final-2018\_03\_01.pdf

Hi Yvonne,

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Thnx,

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**From:** ZIFF, SARA  
**Sent:** Monday, March 26, 2018 10:26 AM  
**To:** Black, Ned <Black.Ned@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Torres, Lawrence <Torres.Lawrence@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Final Sediment Investigation Report and Ecological Risk Assessment; Sims Redwood City

Hi Ned,

In response to your question about Sims, I'm resending this email from a while ago – please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,  
Sara

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Good morning Ned,

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Thanks,  
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**Subject:** FW: Submittal: Final Sediment Investigation Report and Ecological Risk Assessment; Sims Redwood City

All,

EPA received the following SIMS deliverable on Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 (on schedule).

I have included their email and link to the two listed reports below:

- *Final Sediment Investigation Report*, prepared by Terraphase; and
- *Draft Ecological Risk Assessment*, prepared by Windward Environmental LLC.

~~Please use the following link to download the documents:~~

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Respectfully,  
LT

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**Subject:** Submittal: Final Sediment Investigation Report and Ecological Risk Assessment; Sims Redwood City

Dear Mr. Torres,

On behalf of our client Sims Group USA Corporation (Sims), Terraphase Engineering Inc. (Terraphase) is pleased to submit the attached letter and two reports, prepared in satisfaction of Sims' obligations under Paragraphs 18 and 19 of the Consent Decree between Sims and EPA, effective December 1, 2014. The two reports, both dated March 1, 2018, are:

- *Final Sediment Investigation Report*, prepared by Terraphase; and
- *Draft Ecological Risk Assessment*, prepared by Windward Environmental LLC.

Please contact me if you have any questions or comments.

Regards,

Peter

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